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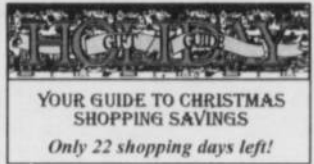


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## Didsbury supports airport independence

*But town not planning to dump ownership*

by Elaine Wilson  
Review writer

Conjecture that the Town of Didsbury might sell their half share interest in the Olds-Didsbury Airport back to Olds was dismissed by Evan Parliament last Friday from his office.

"We're committed to see this thing through," Parliament said, adding that independent operation was also a goal.

"We're also discussing the possibility of [instituting] an airport authority; we're working toward that."

The proposed airport authority would allow for operation "at an arm's length", Parliament said.

Currently the town is both owner and operator as joint title holder with the Town of Olds.

While Didsbury would continue to be a legal joint owner, Parliament likened the proposed airport authority operation arrangement to that of golf course management where the operators are not subsidized by the town, but are responsible for their own upkeep costs and entitled to keep all earnings.

Parliament also said that items under discussion at the Nov. 23 Airport Commission meeting included insurance requirements suiting the airport's operational needs and legal matters to do with the lawsuit recently launched by the Canadian Skydive Centre.

"There was an update on the lawsuit," Parliament said, "But really, that's before the courts and there's not much there I

can comment on."

Parliament did say that Glen Scott of Brownlee Fryett, legal counsel for the Town of Dids-

bury, has been instructed to ask for security of costs. This would mean that should the lawsuit be dismissed, court

costs would be picked up by the skydive company.



**Santa's sore knee.** Santa came to Didsbury last Friday during Midnight Madness and was greeted by a throng of parents and children anxious to share their fondest Christmas wishes. The line to meet with Santa and get a free picture stretched out past the train station and down Didsbury's main street. Luckily, warm coffee and chili also awaited inside besides the warmth of the holiday spirit. *Cene Hartmann photo.*

## Police detonate lunch box in Crossfield bomb scare

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

Explosives specialists detonated a lunch box in Crossfield last Thursday after a reported bomb scare.

Airdrie RCMP called in the specialists from Edmonton Thursday morning after a convenience store clerk called in a bomb scare.

The employee found a metal lunch box on top of a pile of newspapers early Thursday morning and was concerned by what she believed was a whirring noise coming from the box. The woman carried the box to a ditch across the road from the store before calling the police.

Businesses located within the vicinity of the alleged bomb were vacated until after the explosives specialists arrived. They detonated the box and found no traces of explosives.

## Health funding break gives space

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

The announcement of a \$53 million break in health care budget cuts will give Didsbury's regional health authority some breathing space.

RHA #5 administrator Jim Ramsbottom said an estimated \$750,000 which won't be taken from the region's budget next year will give the board a chance to evaluate its cuts and ensure they really are maximizing efficiency. "When you are continually jumping through hoops, you can't look where you've been," Ramsbottom said.

Both Ramsbottom and Didsbury board representative Wayne Layden agreed the break in funding cuts was overdue.

"I think this was something that should have happened a long time ago," Layden said.

Alberta Health Minister Shirley McLellan announced last week that the province decided to give back \$93 million in planned funding cuts in next year's budget. An additional \$40 million was already slated to be pumped into community based services, leaving a net gain of \$53 million for health care providers in the province.

But while Ramsbottom said the break is a welcome one, the region is still planning to go ahead with local budget cuts outlined in their three-year business plan.

"Right now we plan to continue with the budget we have in place," he said. "We had already planned to find an ad-

ditional \$750,000 to come out of the system to ensure the programs we designated as necessary were funded. Now we don't need to pull that out somewhere else."

Ramsbottom said he hoped the break would make staff feel more comfortable knowing they won't need to find that extra cash.

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# College Green owners request town intervention

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

College Green homeowners, made up mostly of seniors, has asked town council to help them address problems with trespassing, taxes and by-law enforcement.

A delegation of the homeowners, led by Don McGimpsey, spoke to town council at their meeting last

Tuesday.

The group brought several concerns to council, including those over property taxes.

"We feel property taxes are extremely high considering the small amount of land for each (home) and the amount of maintenance we do for the town," McGimpsey told council. "Each owner pays \$130 for fees per month for maintenance."

McGimpsey also said homeowners wanted the town to do something about the amount of trespassing occurring on College Green property. He said seniors had been subjected to foul language, vandalism and rude gestures. RCMP have been notified McGimpsey said, but were unable to act because most seniors were reluctant to report the problems.

"We feel it's the town's re-

sponsibility to provide security and privacy for its residents," he said.

Regarding the concerns, McGimpsey said the homeowners' association would like to meet with the town to find a solution to the problems.

Town council did not respond to the concerns at the meeting but said they would set up a meeting.

## Winter impaired driving campaign begins in Alberta

Special to the Review

Alberta Justice, municipal police services and the RCMP have announced the beginning of Alberta's annual winter Impaired Driving campaign. The campaign's objective is to promote public awareness of the dangers of impaired driving and reduce the risk of death or injury.

Thirteen-thousand impaired driving charges were laid in Alberta during 1994. During December, January and February 1994 there were 14 fatal and 243 injury collisions involving alcohol on Alberta's roads. Ninety-one drivers of vehicles involved in fatal collisions during that year were considered alcohol-impaired.

The winter Impaired Driving campaign will include a number of joint CheckStops on the boundaries of adjoining police jurisdictions.

Drivers are urged to plan their safe ride home before at-

tending any occasion where alcohol is likely to be served. Those convicted of impaired driving offenses will lose their driving licence for a year or more and will also face substantial fines. Charges can be laid for the impaired operation of any motor vehicle including snowmobiles.

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# Town council notes

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

Town council has decided to put the contract for dog catching services out for tender.

The contract, which has been handled by Carol's Canine Control, is up for renewal. Another dog catching service from Bowden has expressed interest in bidding for the job.

Council decided to offer the contract to tender after expressing concern about the lack of activity detail from the present dog catcher.

Town council will be roughing it this year as they prepare for the 1996 budgeting process.

All of council plus its senior administrative staff will be heading out to the woods early in December to begin preliminary budget discussions.

Corporate Services Director Sandra Veenstra said a cabin was donated for the weekend retreat by town by-law officer Robert Wigg. Council and staff will head out to the retreat armed with sleeping bags and meals each has agreed to prepare for the weekend.

"It is fitting of our group to go out and have this retreat and not spend it in Banff," said town administrator Evan Parliament.

The retreat will be held December 7 and 8.

A formal dress code policy has been adopted by Didsbury's town council.

The first of its kind for Didsbury, the policy outlines guidelines for staff of the municipality.

Under the policy, public works and other employees must wear clothing suitable to their job, which means protec-

tive clothing as outlined under the Alberta Safety Act, clothing with town identification or dress clothes, dependant on the job description.

The policy also dictates the conservative approach in hair style, perfume, jewellery and personal hygiene.

One of the more controversial aspects of the policy deals with hair style. Councillor Gary Dolha expressed concern over the wording of "conservative style"

"I'm against having hair a conservative length," he said. "Who is to determine what's appropriate and what looks good?" he said.

Council has agreed to donate the use of one of its Christmas trees for the Mountain View Palliative Care Association's Tree of Hope campaign.

An evergreen tree in the gazebo area will be donated to the group to fill with Christmas lights as they raise funds for the group. Light bulbs are sold

to residents, in memory of a loved one, and lit on the tree.

Association spokesperson Christine Ahmad said they hope to have the tree filled by Christmas.

Didsbury will undertake their own Pitch-In project this year rather than donate \$250 to the provincial campaign.

After receiving a request to donate the money, council decided they would rather spend the money in town and involve more town residents in the clean up project.

Pitch-In Week, usually held in May, would not be funded in Didsbury unless the town made the donation, a Pitch-In Alberta spokesperson said.

"I like the idea of a pitch-in day in Didsbury," said Councillor Dorothy Moore-Anderson. "We sure could use it."

The idea will be passed along to the town's Environmental Advisory Board for recommendation.



**Generosity.** Approximately 60 tonnes of grain, valued at \$8800, was donated to the Foodgrains Bank drive Saturday at the Alberta Wheat Pool elevator. Willard Stauffer, John Warkentin and Stuart Hooper were on hand to greet the generous farmers. The grain will be used to help feed the world's hungry. Gene Hartmann photo

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# OPINIONS / EDITORIAL

## Blink



**Janice  
Harrington**

He blinked, there's not doubt about it, but it would be nice if the government could be a little more honest about it.

The reprieve in health care cuts announced last week was a good step in the right direction, a chance for the professionals in the industry to take a step back and calculate the effects of the draconian measure they have taken to meet budget cuts over the past two years. But did it come as a planned move by the Alberta's Minister of Health or was it a reaction to the negative publicity surrounding the strike in Calgary and the doctors' campaign?

Klein and Shirley McLellan want us to believe these events have nothing to do with the decision to keep a planned \$53 million in budget cuts in Alberta health authority pockets. Planned since last April they claim. But they have to think Alberta tax payers are pretty stupid if they think we are going to be convinced of that.

First, let's look at timing. Planned since last April, yet the announcement came just as a strike by laundry workers at the Calgary Regional Health Authority was gaining momentum and other health care professionals were joining the fray and the public was shown as sympathetic. It came just after Alberta doctors announced a publicity campaign against the cuts in health care, a campaign many doctors were willing to go to the mat for as they debate their future under the Alberta health care system.

Planned? Sure Ralph, we believe you, just like we believe you gave the profit from your Multicorp stocks to charity out of the goodness of your heart and not from the heat of being caught with your pants down.

But all in all, there is no shame in Ralph's blink. Perhaps it could have come earlier, but now that it is here, it is an excellent chance for this government to either show that its deficit cutting plan is working or not. While it may be necessary to cut the excess in the Alberta budget, it is not healthy to continue without a check up. Health care is too important an issue, and perhaps Ralph's Achilles Heel, to let it continue unchecked.

Let's hope he can blink soon in education.

### Quote of the week

"This cabin is located just outside Mesa, Arizona right?"

Town Councillor Don Watt asking about the location of town by-law enforcement officer Robert Wigg's cabin, use of which he has donated for the town's preliminary budget deliberations.

*(The views presented in this column are the express opinion of the author and do not necessarily represent the views of the publisher or management.)*

# The public opinion

## At the Legislature



**by Bill MacLaughlin  
CKUA Correspondent**

"It's been a terrible week," Ralph Klein sighed last Thursday and it would be fair to say Klein appeared to be on the ropes for much of the week.

Most of the trouble was created by a souped up washing machine, a kind of Maytag on steroids.

"I don't know that much about it," said the premier, "but apparently it's some kind of a tunnel that sucks the laundry..."

That's the machine an Edmonton company is using to get the Calgary Regional Health Authority's business. When the

Authority announced plans to contract out its dirty laundry to that Edmonton company, 120 laundry workers walked out...and stayed out, even when the Labour Relations Board ordered them back to work. They were the first and they had Ralph Klein's sympathy, having been one of the first unions to agree to wage rollbacks. But Ralph wasn't offering anything but sympathy and that wasn't enough. One by one, other unions got on board.

"It certainly has escalated, there's no doubt about it," said Klein, and the next day, there was an "all-encompassing" announcement: a decision to cancel next year's additional cuts to the Regional Health Authorities.

Oddly, the plan did nothing about the strike, even as it was gathering momentum and in fact, the premier went out of his way to insist that it had nothing to do with the strike, suggesting instead that RHA's are coping with "hiccups and blips" and don't need any immediate help.

The next day, though, Klein had another surprise for reporters about the bitter battle to take a \$100 million chunk out of the money that goes to doctors.

"The cuts have come to an end. They have. It's come to an end," he declared, announcing that henceforth, doctors would only be asked to help find ways to find waste elsewhere in the system.

It's a battle that's been raging between the government and the Alberta Medical Association for more than a year. Within the last few weeks alone, the AMA has sent out information outlining possible job action and telling doctors how to opt out of the system entirely. The government softened a bit last week, when Klein suggested that some of the 100 million might come from elsewhere, but reporters were astonished to hear him now saying the target was gone, finished, over.

"So you're no longer trying to get 100 million out of the doctors," asked one reporter, eyebrows raised.

"No," answered the premier. Klein was asked several times to clarify the point...and several times, he did. But ten minutes later, a spokesman for the Premier's Office told reporters that Klein had been mistaken and that the 100 million dollar target was alive and well.

Others have suggested.  
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# FROM THE MAILBAG

## Responding to inaccuracies

### Dear Editor:

Recently, Terry Hanson, a member of the Advisory Board of the Canadian Wheat Board, sent a letter to newspapers across the prairies raising several questions about the Prairie Centre and about one of our publications entitled "An Act of War". He also makes several statements about the Prairie Centre that are completely false.

Please allow me to reply:

The Prairie Centre is a non-profit member organization headquartered in Regina. Our purpose is to promote greater freedom for the individual and to carry out an educational role with respect to wealth creation and responsible social policy. We currently have over 11,000 members.

CWB advisor Hanson refers at length to the Prairie Agricultural Digest, a newsletter that is published by our organization. He claims information in this publication is "inaccurate" and suggests farmers would question its authors. If he read it, he'd discover that the articles and commentary in the particular issue he takes exception to are from four sources.

The first source is Mitchell Sharp. Many will remember Mr. Sharp as a prominent cabinet minister throughout the era of the Trudeau government. He is especially well-remembered as Canada's former Minister of External Affairs. What Mr. Hanson may not know is that Mr. Sharp was a senior

official in the Department of Finance during World War II and was intimately acquainted and involved in the process that led to the establishment of the CWB monopoly. With the permission of the publisher of Mr. Sharp's memoirs, the Prairie Centre reprinted Mr. Sharp's first-hand account of how the Wheat Board monopoly came to be in the booklet "An Act of War".

The second source of information is the excellent book by Winnipeg author Allan Levine entitled, "The Exchange, 100 years of Trading Grain in Winnipeg". The book was published several years ago and contains the historic record of how the pressures of a world at war led to the monopoly of the Canadian Wheat Board in 1943.

Thirdly, the Prairie Centre printed almost the entire dual marketing Wheat Board Act as it was originally passed in July of 1935. The source of this material is in any government library or major library in cities such as Winnipeg.

Lastly, I personally wrote a couple of articles based on newspaper clippings that were obtained from the archives of the Regina Public Library. So that farmers can see for themselves how the wartime need for cheap bread brought about the CWB monopoly, the booklet Mr. Hanson takes exception to contains actual reproductions of these newspaper articles. The articles each appeared in major Canadian newspapers during September

of 1943. The fourth source of information then was the Archives Department of the Regina Public Library.

Mr. Hanson states that after "close investigation (he) finds (the Prairie Centre) is the new name of the Taxpayers Association or Canadian Taxpayers Federation or the National Centre for the Taxpayer, Inc. Their newsletter has now become the Prairie Agricultural Digest." We would be most curious to know just where Mr. Hanson did his "closer investigating". If he had pushed a few buttons on a phone he could have called our office and gotten his facts straight.

Contrary to what Mr. Hanson authoritatively states, the Prairie Centre is not now, nor has it ever been affiliated or associated with the newsletter of the Canadian Taxpayers Federation. And, again contrary to what Mr. Hanson states, the Prairie Centre has never been associated or affiliated with the Canadian Taxpayers Federation. How Hanson arrived at such a conclusion and where he did his "investigating" is a wonder to us.

We find it unfortunate that a person in Mr. Hanson's position of influence is as ill-informed and thoughtless as he appears to be. This is truly regrettable.

Sincerely,  
Kevin Avram  
Executive Committee  
Member  
Prairie Centre - Regina

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though, that Klein's mistake was to let the cat out of the bag. The AMA is the most powerful of the health care lobby groups and right now, it holds the aces. The association knows that with the threat of more wildcat strikes, the government can't afford to see the doctors lend their support to such a rebellion. It also knows that two weeks from now, the quarterly update will show that the government is swimming in black ink.

But if the government decided to abandon its fight to take money from doctors, it might want to sit on that information for a while. The head of the United Nurses Associa-

tion was fit to be tied last week, with word that the docs might escape some of that cut. If the wealthiest of the health care groups was to be handed a get-out-of-jail-free card while \$7 an hour laundry workers are losing their jobs, nurses, laundry workers and every one else in the system would blow a gasket and the sidewalks outside hospitals would be thick with placards.

There is, of course, no way of knowing. The AMA isn't about to spill the beans, if indeed there is such a deal. And Ralph Klein isn't about to buy himself another week like the last one, if he can help it. But there's more to come.

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**Frosty entertainment.** Didsbury's 50 Singers braved the icy weather Friday evening to entertain during the Midnight Madness event. Despite the inclement weather, many people turned out to take advantage of the fun and super specials at the annual event. *Gene Hartmann photo*

## Christmas shopping hours

Businesses in downtown Didsbury are extending their hours for the Christmas season to ensure everyone has time to complete their holiday shopping. Extended hours will be:  
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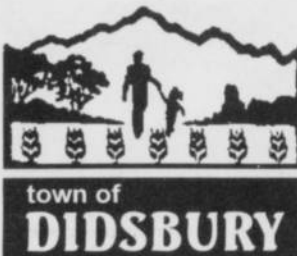
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**Next Council Meeting  
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The following Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments:

72-95 135 Southridge Cr. Relocate a single family dwelling conditional to safety code officer inspecting/approving house R2.  
73-95 1317 20 Ave. Demolish attached porch R2.  
74-95 #70 Didsbury Mobile Park Addition R3.

Further information may be obtained from the Town Office, 2153 19 Ave. or by calling 335-3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing to the secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. on Dec. 13, 1995.

Robert Wigg,  
Development Officer

## CALL FOR TENDERS

OWNER: Town of Didsbury  
CONTRACTOR: Lubricants and Solvents Supplier  
PROJECT: Supply and Delivery of Lubricants and Solvents  
SCOPE: To provide the necessary equipment as required  
CLOSES ON: December 8, 1995 at 4:30 p.m.

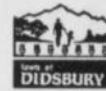
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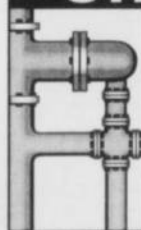
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## UTILITY NOTICE



The following will be effective with the October utility billings.

Late payment penalty of 1.5% / month will be added to all utility bills that are 30 days past due. Any utility bills which are 60 days past due shall have their water disconnected upon ten (10) days prior written notice. Services will be re-connected upon payment of outstanding balance and a \$25.00 reconnection fee.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

DEC 2 Christmas Farmers Market  
4-17 Didsbury Aquatic Centre - CLOSED  
6 Joint BRZ/Main Street Meeting, Council Chambers - noon

## POOL NOTES

The Didsbury Aquatic Centre will be **CLOSED** for its annual maintenance shutdown from **December 4-17 inclusive.** We reopen with a special holiday schedule in effect from December 18 - January 7!

Pick up **stocking stuffer** pool passes for that dedicated aquacizer, 50+er, lap swimmer, jogger, steamer, soaker, or recreational swimmer. We have stocking stuffers available in the form of coupons or passes.

Rent the pool for your group's Christmas or New Year's get-together. Pool parties are a great family, staff, or team idea and we'd love to help you make it a splashing success! Call us to book your preferred time soon and we will help you plan a great time for your group.

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# Lifestyles

## Royal blue fades to black

by Elaine Wilson  
Review writer

A frosty, fog-enshrouded night was the backdrop for the final meeting of Branch #106 of the Didsbury Royal Canadian Legion Nov. 23 at the 5-0 Club.

Legion officers and members sorted through paper work in preparation for repeal of charters dating back more than half a century.

President Bill Jepps said that 1995, the anniversary of the end of hostilities, was felt to be a fitting date to terminate the charter.

"It's kind of a nostalgic time," said Legion member Amos Wilkins. "There comes a time when you have to do what has to be done."

Wilkins commended comrades both present and past for a job well done saying that like war itself, the work of the Didsbury Legion "should never be forgotten, but you have to put it behind you."

An aging membership with declining numbers put the work of the Legion in the hands of an ever dwindling work force, causing the decision to disband the charter which registered 39 members on their final night together.

There were some misty eyes on the auxiliary side as the ladies endeavored to prepare final submissions destined for provincial command.

"I sure hate to see it, but we had no choice," Hazel Milne said.

A history of the branch prepared by Joyce Mullen outlined the community-minded

base of the group.

"Our Legion does not publicize their benevolent work for those in need," Mullen wrote. "This branch has supported national drives such as the Springhill Mine Disaster Fund, and the Winnipeg Flood Relief, as well as local projects for the C.N.I.B., Salvation Army and of course, the Polio Fund. Donations were made to the Didsbury Swimming Pool and the equivalent of furnishing a room was given to the new Health Care Centre to be used as they saw fit. They administer the Sid Summers Memorial Fund which provides trophies for youth-oriented sports, the Handicapped Riding Association and built a gazebo at the nursing home for the pleasure of residents. As well, they donated to the school patrol, Air Cadets, Christmas Hamper Fund and have authorized \$500 to the Lions Club for their Reiber Park and Handi-bus projects. In addition they sponsor a yearly afternoon of entertainment and a dinner at the Sid Wilkins farm for the veterans from the Colonel Belcher Hospital."

Mullen also mentioned the Legion's long standing sponsorship of the 1st Didsbury Scout Group; in 1986 they celebrated 50 years as a sponsoring body. In 1958 the branch began planning for a scout hall which was in use by 1962.

The branch also sponsored a poppy poster campaign and a poem and essay contest on remembrance topics. Locally, first and second place winners have placed provincially.

Funds from the Sid Sum-



**Final farewell.** Members of the Didsbury Legion met for the last time on Thursday to formally wrap up their business and dissolve their charter. During the meeting, lifetime memberships were presented to members of the Ladies Auxiliary and three members were recognized for 50 years of service. Elaine Wilson photo

mers Memorial Fund, now totalling \$10,000, will remain available locally as part of an agreement with the Didsbury Elks Association who will continue to make the fund available to youth groups in need.

The evening began with a special dinner and concluded with the necessary functions required to dissolve a charter.

Members who attended the

meeting said they planned to join neighboring Legion groups based in Carstairs, Olds, Innisfail and Red Deer, promising to keep in touch with each other no matter which direction they choose.

Charter documents and a history document prepared by Joyce Mullen will be submitted for display to the Didsbury Museum.

As the evening progressed, reminiscing triggered a mixture of smiles and sighs as memories echoed through this long-standing branch with a proud history.

Then the door closed forever on a chapter in Didsbury's history that will always be remembered as a vibrant and distinguished organization.

## Santa and Mrs. Claus plan visit

• Local reporter has exclusive interview with Mrs. Claus

Special to the Review

Local children, as well as children living in surrounding towns are in for a real treat during this Christmas season.

On Saturday, December 9 at 9 a.m., Santa and Mrs. Claus will be taking some time out of their busy schedules to visit Didsbury.

According to Mrs. Claus, some of the best behaved children in the country live in this area. Santa has expressed a wish to visit with them and Didsbury has been chosen because of its nice central location. Santa insists that this special event includes the kids living in the Olds and Carstairs area too.

Mrs. Claus also confided that on Christmas Eve last year, Santa got stuck in one of the local chimneys. "It was very scary," she said, "for a little while it looked as though Santa was going to be stuck for

ever and ever and that his toy delivery days were over." She went on to say that, "fortunately the incident reached a happy conclusion thanks to the quick thinking of some of Santa's elves."

She has promised to tell everyone the whole story when she and Santa visit the Old Railway Station on Main Street.

"We are looking forward to the visit very much," she said. "It will be an exciting time. Santa has some favorite Christmas songs that he loves to sing and he is hoping the kids will join in and sing-a-long with him. The Didsbury Cubs and Scouts are going to serve a lovely pancake breakfast too. Next to cookies and milk, pancakes are Santa's very favorite food." "Mine too," she added with a grin as she patted her nicely rounded girth.

Mrs. Claus went on to say that the event will be a special time "just for children". "We like to spend at least an hour with

the little ones," she said, "if the moms and dads would like to use the time Christmas shopping with local merchants they are welcome to do so."

There was a definite twinkle in her eye when she added "Santa and I look after over a hundred elves at the North Pole. There are times when they too behave like children and can be just as noisy. Santa has voted the children in this area the best behaved in the land, spending time and visiting with them will be fun and exciting. We will have a wonderful time together."

Mrs. Claus reminded us that seating for "Breakfast with Santa" is limited so reservations are an absolute must. Local Scout Moms Donna and Inez have agreed to help Santa with ticket sales so you can phone either one of them at the following numbers: Donna 335-8319 or Inez 335-4168.

## Carstairs raises \$62,000

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

Neighbors and businesses in the Carstairs area pulled together in an incredible effort last week and raised \$62,000 to help out a paralyzed man.

A benefit day held over the weekend raised the awesome amount for Richard Sietzema, an Olds area man who was paralyzed in a fall at his family farm in the summer. He had been married to Linda Arbuckle of Carstairs only three weeks before the accident.

The community organized a silent and live auction to help the couple deal with the expenses associated with Sietzema's paraplegia.

A raffle for a collection of lottery tickets was also held.

The winner was ticket #7784060. If the winner does not claim the ticket by noon on December 15, the tickets will be given to the Sietzemas.

The couple were overwhelmed by the amount of support shown by the community.

"Words cannot express the gratitude that Richard, Linda and their families and the organizing committee wish to express to all the donors, bidders and many volunteers that united their efforts to make the day the success it was," a press release issued by the Sietzema family said.

Richard and Linda are currently living in Calgary where Richard continues to undergo rehabilitation.

## New 4-H club organized

by **Charlie Sawatzky**  
Special to the Review

On September 26, a new 4-H Club was organized. Our organizational meeting was held at Jessica McNeil's. We decided to name our club Ropes and Reins 4-H Club. We are going to offer the Light Horse project.



We have 17 members registered. Our elected officers for the 1995/1996 term are: President: Julie Nail, Vice-President: Jessica McNeil, Secretary: TeeJay Kolodychuk, Treasurer: Rachel Sawatzky, Historian: Wes Nail, Club Reporter: Charlie Sawatzky. Our general leader is Elnora Sawatzky and our Light Horse project leader is

Marion McAdam.

On October 14, we had riding at the Pavilion in Olds. Ann Rosehill gave us a demonstration on proper grooming and care of the horse's coat. It was

very informative. On November 3, we had our monthly meeting at Lindsey and Riki Beal's. We studied parts of the horse and Morgan McAdam gave us a demonstration on how to put on leg wraps. In November we have two ridings at Olds. We will also learn how to judge horses. We have planned a Christmas party at the Olds Bowling center for December 1st.

We have many activities planned and look forward to a successful year.

## Tree of Hope campaign now on

by **Elaine Wilson**  
Review writer

Watch for volunteers who will be setting up tables at various locations around town as part of the annual Tree of Hope campaign which benefits recipients of those who look to the Mountainview Palliative Care Association for assistance and comfort.

The Association, which has been in existence for three years, has been busy raising funds and public awareness as well as training volunteers to help palliative patients and families in their own homes.

In the past year, purchases have included walkers, sturdy grip poles and bedside trays, purchased with funds raised through the Tree of Hope campaign. Twenty volunteers have completed the Palliative Volunteer Training Program and the association has sent several health nurses to a special Edmonton conference.

A resource library of related books and videos is being com-



**Community help.** Nurse Norma Vipond and Mountain View Palliative Care Association spokesperson Christine Ahmad show off some of the goods the group has been able to purchase to help out palliative care patients in the area. The group is once again beginning its Tree of Hope fundraising campaign. Photo courtesy Christine Ahmad.

pleted and a project now underway is sponsorship of a Bereavement Counselling

Workshop. Donations to this worthy cause may also be made through the Health Unit.

## O.O.R.P. news

by **Annie Pringle**  
Special to the Review

A special meeting was held on Wednesday, Nov. 22 to finalize plans for our part in Elks installation.

Dates to remember: Monday, Nov. 27 - All ladies are asked to meet at 10 a.m. to organize for the O.O.R.P. family Christmas party on Dec. 10.

Dec. 2 we will be catering to the Eastern Star Christmas dinner. Many hands are needed please.

Our next meeting is Dec. 13

and will be the Lodge Christmas party with exchange of gifts. Other lodges will be celebrating with us.



Iona Shiels is in hospital and we wish her well. Hester Baillie celebrates her birthday Nov. 30. May you have many more. The D.D. official visit will be in Jan./96.

Ladies remember your dues are due by Dec. 31/95.

## Mount View Lodge news

by **Annie Caush**  
Special to the Review

Hi all - Here we are enjoying this lovely weather and it's only a little over a month until Christmas! Last week we had a bus trip to Red Deer. We didn't do much shopping - mostly looking - but it was a nice drive after the fog cleared.

A group of ladies from the United Church came in one afternoon last week and called bingo and then served a lovely

lunch.

Monday was the November birthday party. It was hosted by several auxiliary members and some helpers. Mr. and Mrs.

Gorrill entertained us with lovely old time music and a sing-a-long. We only have two residents with November birthdays, Laura Dickrow and Emily

McMahon.

In hospital we have Tillie Palamar and Muriel Richards. We hope you feel better real soon.

## Five-0 notes

Special to the Review

Monday, Nov. 20th, the carpet bowlers entertained players from Cernona. A good time was enjoyed.

Two teams from Didsbury are entered in a carpet bowling bonspiel in Cremona Nov. 23rd.

The past two weeks, people have come to play games while cards are being played. If you would like to join us, bring along a game and/or a friend. Please make all bookings for the hall through Werner at 335-3058.

The next dinner will be Dec. 6th at 1 p.m. Meat is supplied and entertainment will follow. Cost \$3.

The bus is going to Rosebud Dec. 20. Phone Florence at 335-3327 if you wish to go. Price is \$28 and bus leaves Five-0 at 10 a.m.

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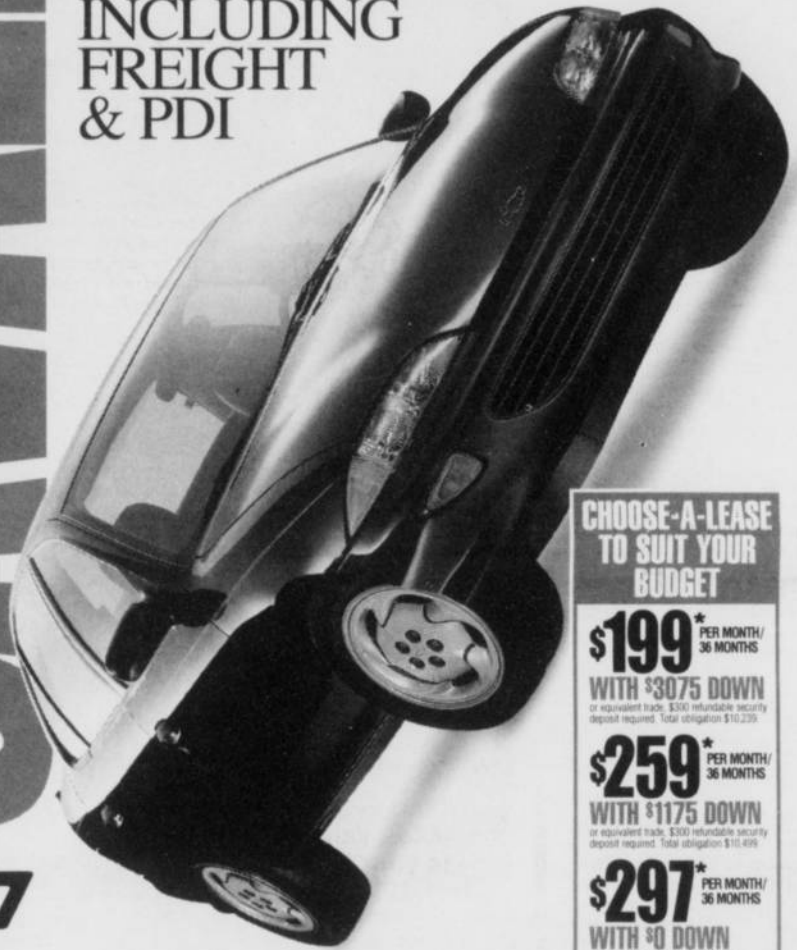
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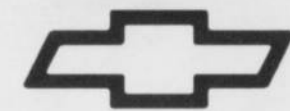
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# Health file

by Cheryl Ferguson  
Public Health Nurse

With Christmas soon approaching, toys will probably be at the top of children's wish lists. Good toys help children develop co-ordination and learn important physical, intellectual and social skills. Just as important, they provide many hours of enjoyment. However, finding the right toy is a challenge. Alberta Consumer and Corporate Affairs provides the following information.

What makes a good toy?

**Suitability:** Choose a toy that is appropriate for the child's stage of development. Ideally, a toy should challenge his skills, engage his interests and stimulate his imagination.

**Safety:** Children can be seriously injured by unsafe toys. Before you buy a toy, inspect it carefully. If the toy is packaged, insist on seeing a demonstration model. Avoid these hazards:

- \* Toys with sharp edges or points.
- \* Toys small enough to be swallowed or inhaled or which have small parts which may break off.
- \* Toys that make sounds so loud they may cause ear damage.
- \* Toys made of brittle plastic which may shatter and break into sharp pieces.
- \* Toys that pinch or trap fingers.
- \* Toys with cords, string or tape long enough to wrap around a child's neck and cause strangulation.

**Play Value:** Consider the "Play value" of the toy. For example, an expensive toy that is played with every day and provides many learning experiences has greater play value than an inexpensive toy discarded after two uses. Don't make the mistake of equating play value with price. "Basic" toys such as plain wooden blocks, balls or measuring cups can provide hours of imaginative play.

**Durability:** Good toys are designed to withstand wear and tear. Look for toys that are well-constructed and made from sturdy materials. Continue the same safety awareness at home that you applied in choosing a toy:

- \* Remove and discard plastic packaging before giving a toy to young children.
- \* Examine toys regularly for safety.
- \* Repair damaged toys immediately. Discard those which can't be repaired.
- \* Don't store toys in boxes with heavy lids. They may slam closed on your children.
- \* Ensure that older children's toys do not present a hazard to younger children. These include toys with projectiles, such as darts; toys with toxic substances, such as chemistry sets; toys with small parts that could be swallowed, such as miniature construction sets and doll accessories.

If you are looking for a good source of information about

# News from the Dragons Den

Special to the Review

Students are taking well deserved bows these days at DHS. The first reporting period Honor Roll has been calculated and the following students have received an average of 80 percent or above in fifteen credits for grades 10 to 12 and four core courses plus one op-

tion for grade 9.

Grade 9: Nicole Brander, Brandy Brockway, Rob Collinge, Jesse Hnidy, Joelle May, Courtney Murphy, Mandy Peterman, Sandra Pratt, Andrea Rosadiuk, Shanon Sexsmith, Ashley St. Jean and Carolyn Vogel.

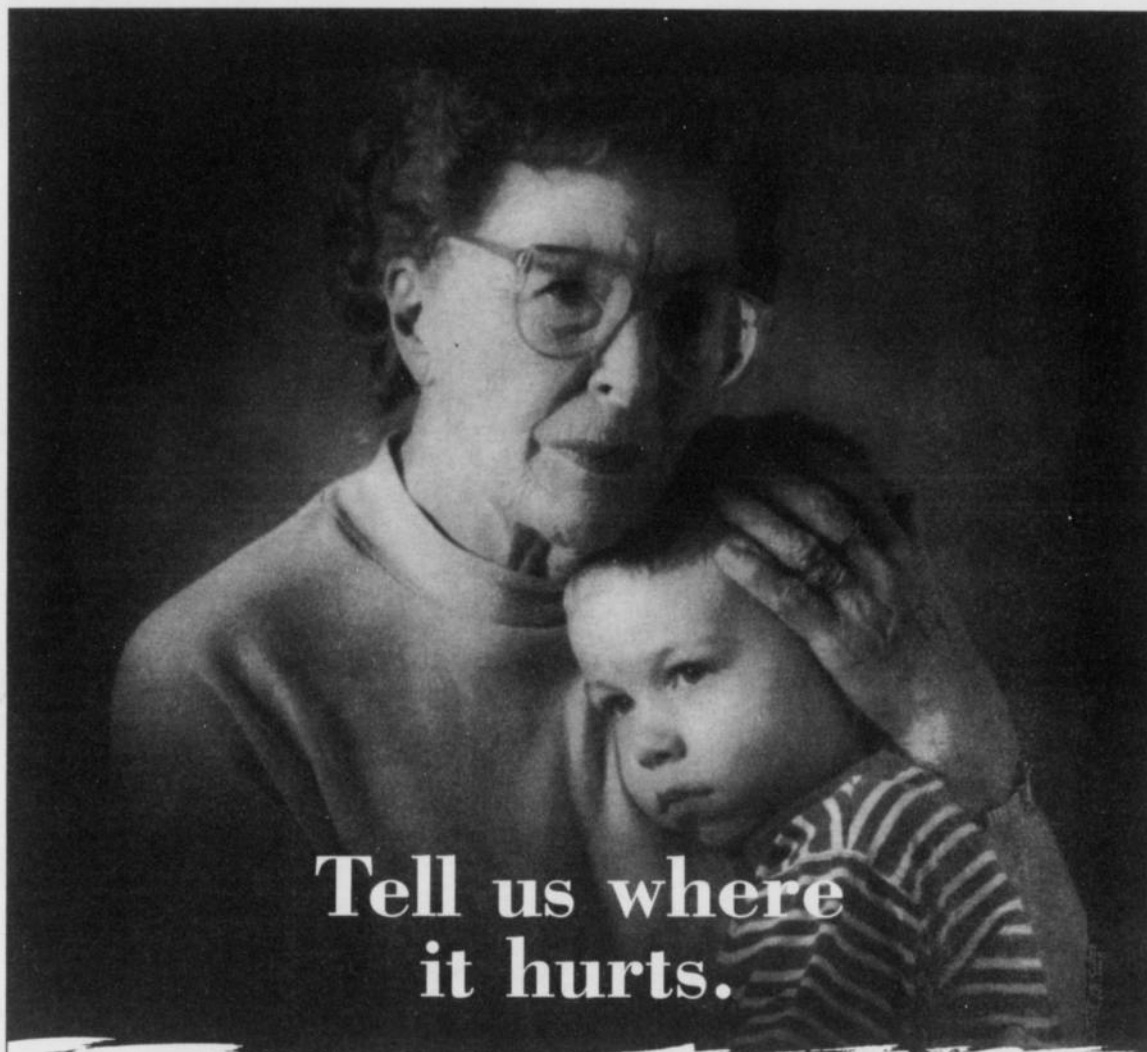
Grade 10: Kael Baergen, Leah Bisschop, Reta Blakely,

Amanda Brown, Angela Chios, Karen Dahl, Marsha Foster, Heather Fox, Michael From, Jonathan Hooper, Kristi Jacobson, Mandi Luft, Vanessa Malinowski, Jessica McNeil, January Meston, Heather Pratt, Justin Schnell, Shauna Steven, Pam Trewin and Joel Windsor.

Grade 11: Lauren Arthurs,

Thomas Brown, Andrea McCulloch, Renee McNeil, Rachel Sawatzky, Erin Sexsmith and Joanne Walker.

Grade 12: Kari Aussenhus, Rachel Dunlop, Brad Fincaryk, Michelle From, Dayna Heinz, Kristi Luft-Haberle, Jacki Morrish, Raina Peterman, Amy Skuce, Julie Vogel and Steve Warriner.



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Is health care expensive? Yes.

Do we need to control health care costs? Yes.

But when budget cuts undermine the quality of the health care to which we all have a fundamental right, it hurts.

Here in Alberta, spending on publicly funded health care is expected to fall to 3.76% of gross domestic product next year - by far the lowest of any province in Canada! And - measured against the Established Market Economies - we're slipping to 24th in the world, behind Portugal and Greece.\*

So, when Albertans are told that government spending on health care is still too high and patients will have to settle for even less, it hurts. It hurts all of us.

The elderly have been particularly hard hit. So have patients with chronic illnesses, and those needing surgery that's been designated "elective." The right of all Albertans to have timely access to quality health care is in jeopardy.

**If anyone should have a say in the quality of your health care, it's you. And your doctor.**

New ways of delivering quality, cost-effective health care must be found. And they will be. But the needs of patients come first - with health care professionals and patients involved in the process, on an equal footing with government.

Physicians have set up a toll-free telephone line for you to tell us how you have been affected by the health care cuts, and to voice any concerns you may have about future cuts.

So, call and have your "say." Because to protect our health care system, we must all be heard.

*A message from the doctors of Alberta*

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### Gary Dolha Didsbury Curling Club 24-Hour Fun Spiel

Registration is required immediately for the upcoming December 24-Hour Fun Spiel being iced by the Didsbury Curling Club. Eight games are guaranteed along plenty of fun, percentage payout prizes and some surprises. "We have some ways to keep people from going to sleep, but I'm not going to tell you what they are," Gary Dolha said. Organizers are looking for a minimum of 12 teams to a maximum of 16. The format is 'Open' style with all welcome and the entry fee is \$60 per rink. The idea has caught fire with inquiries coming in from curlers calling for spots from as far away as Calgary. At press time, rink slots were still open. Contact organizers Brenda Scott (335-4470) and Gary Dolha (335-9633) for further details.



### Linda Sirr Christmas hamper program

Organizer Linda Sirr said the 5-0 Singers Christmas concert gave a "great boost" to the Christmas hamper program. Still needed are new or used clean, unwrapped toys which can be dropped off at the post office and non-perishable food which can be deposited in boxes at either grocery store in town. Monetary donations and/or names of persons requiring help may be given to the Zion Evangelical Missionary Church Tuesdays-Thursdays from 10 to 4 p.m. (call 335-3629) or to Sirr at 335-2378. If you would like to become actively involved, wrapping day is Dec 21 and delivery day is Dec. 22. Expressing appreciation for community support, Sirr said: "I stand amazed at the generosity of individuals, organizations, businesses and schools each year. As a town we band together to make Christmas a brighter time for all within our area."



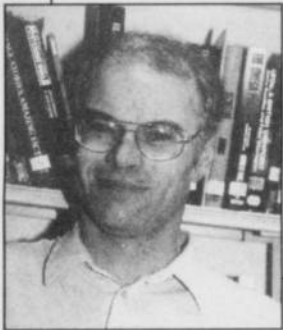
# Faces

*a brief glimpse at the people and events in our community*

### Mark Fischer Didsbury Library update

Head Librarian Mark Fischer, who has been a library employee since February of 1976, took over from Tim Elliott in September. The biggest change during his tenure has been automation, Fischer said, adding that few changes are in the works other than an armchair travel program currently in the planning stage. One trustee slot remains open on the Li-

brary Board and interested persons are invited to attend the next regular meeting session at 7:30 on Dec. 4th at the library to learn more. Trustees are involved in long range planning, financial management and assessment and development of library services. Please contact Kosinski (335-4168) or the library (335-3142) for more details.



### Elaine Budd Cremona Missionary Church 25th Anniversary of Senior's Banquet

Co-organizer Elaine Budd said planning and organization of the the Senior Citizens' Banquet was proceeding nicely and promised it would be "a go" no matter what the weather man had in store for the evening. The banquet, which began in 1970 when the high school Sunday School class took on the project, has been an annual highlight every year since. Of late, the entire church has become involved and the original menu of meat loaf became a full turkey feast. Entertainment was provided by the group themselves and the evening's fund often continued right through clean up duties where there were "Two dish pans of hot water...dish towel snapping and merriment." This year's banquet was held Friday, Nov. 24.



### Gord Kerby Christmas Cheque Program

The annual Christmas Cheque program, now underway, provides the means and opportunity to encourage Christmas shoppers to buy locally. Applications for interest free loans from \$300 to \$2000 may be picked up at the Credit Union up to Dec. 22. Repayment may be made in installments beginning in January but there is no penalty for early payout. Cheques are to be written for the ex-

act amount of purchase and may be spent in any denomination at participating merchant sites. Cheques may be spent right through to January 15 to allow shoppers to take advantage of post Christmas sales and bargains offered up by local merchants. At press time, 21 merchants were on board with the

program, however, the final tally will likely be closer to two dozen. Questions about the program may be directed to Gord Kerby at the Mountain View Credit Union.



### Todd Klein DHS Christmas Dinner Concert

The annual DHS Christmas Dinner Concert, featuring student band music under the direction of Todd Klein, traditionally attracts large crowds and this year promises to carry on the tradition. A roast beef dinner "with all the fixings" prepared by band par-

ents things off at 12 noon on Dec 10, with the concert following at 1 p.m. in the Westglen gym. Tickets, available through band members or at the door, are \$6 per person.



### Ross Ford Elementary School Superkids

Ross Ford School's teachers and administration proudly introduce this week's batch of Superkids. Students in each class are named Superkids to recognize hard work and contributions to the school. This week's Superkids are: Josie Kinch, Steven Gole, Robyn Nadeau, Samantha Filliol, Paula Overguard, David Van Oosten, Candace Steward, Barry Poirier, Ashley Metcalf, Matthew Miller, Amanda Sanderson, David Patterson, Bobbi-Lynn Hopfe, Chaylene Gallagher and Michael Kosinski. Missing from the picture are Justin McInnis and Bryan Phillips.



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### The Way of Life

by Bruce Wiebe, Pastor  
Bergthal Mennonite Church

Henri Nouwen tells the story of a young fugitive who, while trying to hide himself from the enemy, entered a small village. The people were kind to him and offered him a place to stay. But when the soldiers who sought the fugitive asked where he was hiding, everyone became fearful. The soldiers threatened to burn the village and kill everyone in it unless the young man was handed over to them before dawn. The people went to the minister and asked him what to do. The minister, torn between handing over the boy to the enemy or having his people killed, withdrew to his room and read his Bible, hoping to find an answer before dawn. After many hours, in the early morning, his eyes fell on these words: "It is better that one man dies than that the whole people be lost."

Then the minister closed the Bible, called the soldiers and

told them where the boy was hidden. And after the soldiers led the fugitive away to be killed, there was a feast in the village because the minister had saved the lives of the people. But the minister did not celebrate. Overcome with a deep sadness, he remained in his room. That night an angel came to him and asked, "What have you done?" He said, "I handed over the fugitive to the enemy." Then the angel said: "But don't you know that you have handed over the Messiah?" "How could I know?" the minister replied anxiously. Then the angel said: "If, instead of reading your Bible, you had visited this young man just once and looked into his eyes, you would have known."

In these pre-Christmas days, our work and home and social schedules are filled with activities and responsibilities. Often, the presence of an "outsider" feels like an unwanted intrusion. We don't even have time to get ready ourselves!

I pray that your days will be

filled with Christmas traditions like Bible reading, prayer, candle lighting, stocking stuffing and tree decorating. But I also pray that you find the time to

meet Jesus the Savior, as you look into the eyes of one who is a stranger. Let us agree together that at least once we will put aside the expected and seek

out Jesus in unexpected ways, by caring for one who is in need.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

The REVIEW is pleased to provide this Church Directory as a community service.

### St. Cyprian's Anglican

2037 24th Avenue Didsbury 335-4664

#### SERVICES

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2030 24 Ave Didsbury Phone 556-3084

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Adult Bible Study Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sun. 10:30 a.m.

Identifying needs: Youth Ministry.

Seniors/Moms & Tots Pastor Devotional Time.

Mid-Week Bible Studies, SON's Kids Klub,

LWML Women's Group

### Mountain View Evangelical Missionary Church

(14 Kilometers East of Didsbury)

Pastor John Lucas 335-8923

Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Worship Service: 11 a.m.

### Zion Evangelical Missionary Church

North 2026 - 21st Ave. (office)

South 2025 - 20 Avenue

Pastors: Norm Zimmerman,

Richard Pahl, Steve Werdal

Phones: 335-3629 or 335-3505

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. (north)

10:50 a.m. (south)

Fellowship Hour: 6:00 p.m.

Contact the church regarding Bible Studies,

Care Groups, "Totally Teen Time" and

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### Bergthal Mennonite

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# In Business

## Farmers pull together at Sietzema auction

by Mary Wright  
Special to the Review

With little or no advertising to fuel it, the Nov. 21 benefit auction for Richard Sietzema was a great success.

Bidding started on a baby bull calf. One person bought the calf and donated it back again. One buyer after another gave the calf back to Richard.

The Olds Auction Mart sparked with electricity and before long buyers from the other ring, after asking what all the commotion was about, joined the others in buying calves and putting them back in the ring for resale.

Earlier in the day, when a pig came out dressed in a tutu doing a jig for Richard, laughter broke out. We were a team; many different farmers getting together and doing something for someone else.

Several items ranging from livestock to hay to custom work and books were donated. Bull calves brought \$1695 in total with one calf selling 19 times for a net donation of \$932.50. Seven calves donated at the start of the sale multiplied when the calves were re-donated. Three cows were donated for a net of \$198, five pigs for \$332.50, three goats for \$98, 369 bales of hay for

\$891.90 and miscellaneous items and cash donations brought in another \$1235 for a grand total of \$6241.40.

Calf donors included: Eric Allen Trucking, Gerald and Marg Archer, Wayne Barkley,

Lorne Barraclough, Donna and Richard Buckler, Gary Fisher, Gordon Jorgensen, Marvin Keim, Bruce and Lori Kemmere, Albert Kendze, Langridge Farms, Olds Auction Mart, Tom Paton, Reimer

Livestock, Roschill Auction Service, Philip Schultz, Sietzema Dairy, Sid and Laura Van Dijk, Teunis Van Soeren, Venacre Holsteins, Ray Wagner and Steve and Isabele  
**See Auction page 22**

## Main Street Beat

Well Midnight Madness has come and gone for another year and it certainly was a night to remember! We had all sorts of things happen on Friday evening - including a marriage proposal! 'Tis the season... Ho! Ho! Ho! Congratulations to the

Business Revitalization Zone on the success of their Mini Trade Show. It



**DAVID MOHR**

*Didsbury Main Street Coordinator*

was wonderful to see so many visitors to Didsbury walking on our Main Street and seeing what our town has to offer.

Congratulations also are in order for the many groups and individuals who worked hard to ensure everyone had fun, was safe and had the opportunity to shop Didsbury. The Chamber of Commerce supported the Santa Clause photographs taken by Tracey Brosh, the Army Cadets put on an excellent supper, the Venturers made sure that baby-sitting was available while the Scouts supplied refreshments out of the Train Station kitchen. Congrats also to the operators of the sleigh ride and to the Town of Didsbury and its crews for putting up the Christmas lights.

The Main Street Project is now on-line on the Internet. Our e-mail address is [didsmain@cadvision.com](mailto:didsmain@cadvision.com) if you wish to send e-mail. As part of the economic development initiatives of the Main Street Project and the Tourism and Economic Development Board, a Home Page on the Internet will be developed. The purpose of this Home Page will be to make available information about what Didsbury has to offer. We will highlight services, amenities and the advantages we have to offer the world on our Page. Once all of the details are ironed out we will print the location of the Didsbury Home Page and anyone

who wants to can "surf" to our Page.

### BRZ / MAIN STREET BITS:

A note to all BRZ members: There is an important informational meeting tonight (Tuesday, November 28th) at the Council chambers in the Town

Office. A special guest, Rick Clark of the Sylvan Lake 'Heart of

Downtown' BRZ, will talk about the successes of that group. The meeting starts at 7:00 p.m.. Please come out and let the BRZ Board know what you are thinking.

### HISTORICAL SOCIETY DINNER:

The Didsbury and District Historical Society is hosting its annual gala Christmas Dinner on December 6, 1995 at the Elks Hall on Main Street. Tickets are going fast and are a bargain at \$10 per plate.. For more information or to order tickets call the Museum (335-9295), Harry Penner (335-3994) or the Main Street Project (335-3265).

### A HERITAGE CHRISTMAS TOUR AND TEA:

On Saturday, December 9th at 12:30 p.m. join in an opportunity to explore Didsbury's wonderful vintage homes and then ease into a warming pot of tea at the Museum. Tickets are \$10 per person and are available from Linda Plewis (335-8341) or Shawna Brassard (335-8236). Come and learn about Didsbury's wonderful history. Tickets are limited, so hurry.

For more information about Main Street, BRZ or any of the above events contact the Main Street Office at 335-3265 or visit at 2009 - 20th Avenue (next to the Post Office). The Coordinator is in the Office from 10:00 a.m. to noon every week day except Wednesday. At other times call ahead for an appointment.



**Warm and informed.** Shoppers at Didsbury's Midnight Madness event took advantage of the second annual mini trade show, held indoors at the Elks Hall, to check out the local business not on Didsbury's main street and to get warm. The trade show was called a success by Madness organizers who said the booths were sold out. *Gene Hartmann photo*

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by Kathy Lowther

*Rural Development Specialist - Business*

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part in joint-marketing efforts (gift baskets).

6. **MORALE BOOST.** We all need people to listen to us vent frustrations, remind us of our strengths and accomplishments - those who look at our positive side and help us regain our determination and confidence.

Thanks to Kerry Engel, Rural Development Specialist in Westlock for this information.

Don't miss the new venture workshop called "Getting the Odds of Success in your Favour" at the Olds College, Alumni Centre on Saturday, December 2, 1995. This one-day hands-on workshop is designed specifically for the person who has a specific business idea, or is searching for a new venture opportunity.

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- how to examine the critical difference between just being in motion and heading in a purposeful direction.

For more information please call either Sandi Jones, Olds College at 556-4722 or Kathy Lowther, Rural Development Specialist in Olds at 556-4220.

Kathy Lowther is a Rural Development Specialist - Business with Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development in Olds. She can be reached at 556-4220. For toll-free dialing, call the RITE operator at 310-0000 first.



## Olds Auction Market report

Report for week ending Tuesday, November 21, 1995. 6,016 cattle, 310 hogs.

### BUTCHER CATTLE:

A1-2 Steers 77 to 84; A1-2 Heifers 76 to 83.

C1 Heiferettes 59 to 74; Feeder cows 40 to 53.

D1-2 Cows 37 to 42; D3-5 Cows 33 to 37; D4 Overfat Cows 30 to 34.

Bologna bulls 42 to 53; Bulls 900 lbs. + 50 to 71.

### REPLACEMENT CATTLE:

250 - 380 lb. Steers .95 to 1.12; Heifers .85 to .98.

400 lb. Steers .87 to 1.10; Heifers .80 to .92.

500 lb. Steers .83 to .95; Heifers .72 to .87.

600 lb. Steers .75 to .85; Heifers .70 to .82.

700 lb. Steers .75 to .82; Heifers .70 to .85.

800 lb. Steers .80 to .90; Heifers .75 to .89.

900 lb. Steers .80 to .86; Heifers .80 to .88.

1,000 lb. Steers .78 to .85; Heifers .77 to .85.

Bred cows 560 to 785; Bred heifers 730 to 890.

### DAIRY BARN:

Baby bull calves 35 to 200 with larger calves 210 to 325.

Baby heifer calves 40 to 190 with larger calves 200 to 280.

Dairy cows 550 to 975.

### HOG DIVISION:

Weiner pigs 18 to 30.

Small feeders 32 to 44; Larger feeders 45 to 110.

Sows & Gilts 120 to 185; Boars 75 to 100.

SHEEP & GOATS:

Ewes 45; Feeder lambs 80; Nannies 55; Billies 70.

FEED:

Hay 1.70 to 3.90; Large round bales 25 to 40; Straw .40 to .80; Greenfeed 1.10 to 1.80.

## Innisfail Auction Market report

Market report for Friday, Nov. 17 - 577 head; Monday, Nov. 20 - 1,814 head; Wednesday, Nov. 22 - 1,470 head; Total - 3,861 head.

### STEER CALVES:

250 - 350 lb. average .95 - 1.05 per lb.

300 - 400 lb. average 1.05 - 1.10 per lb.

400 - 500 lb. average .95 - 1.10 per lb.

500 - 600 lb. average .90 - .95 per lb.

### HEIFER CALVES:

400 - 500 lb. average .75 - .95 per lb.

500 - 600 lb. average .75 - .95 per lb.

600 - 800 lb. average .79 - .85 per lb.

YEARLING STEERS:

600 - 700 lb. average .82 - .95 per lb.

700 - 750 lb. average .90 - .95 per lb.

800 - 850 lb. average .85 - .93 per lb.

900 - 950 lb. average .85 - .92 per lb.

.92 per lb.  
950 - 1,010 lb. average .82 - .88 per lb.

### YEARLING HEIFERS:

700 - 800 lb. average .80 - .88 per lb.

### FEEDER COWS:

.42 - .45 per lb.

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97,500 - Bungalow 1120 s.f. double att. garage, 3+1 bedrooms.  
97,900 - 3+2 bungalow on quiet cres., 2 fireplaces, covered deck + many extras.  
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75,000 - 130' x 130' parcel of commercial land, 20th Street.  
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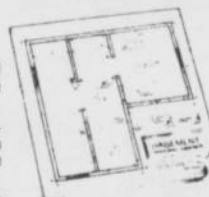
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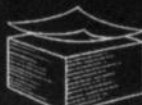
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## 810 - BIRTHDAY

The family of Henry H. Peters invite friends, relatives and former neighbors to join them in the celebration of their Dad's 90 birthday on Saturday, Dec. 2, 2:30 - 5 p.m. at the Berghal Mennonite Church. 32-2tc

## 820 - COMING EVENTS

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## 840 - OBITUARIES

REIST - Betty Eileen Reist, born April 20, 1928 at Didsbury, Alberta, passed away November 13, 1995 at her home in Didsbury. She was predeceased by her father, mother and older sister and is survived by her only brother, Gordon and many nieces and nephews. Betty spent most of her life in Didsbury, where she obtained her schooling and then working. Funeral services were held Saturday, November 18, 1995 at 2 p.m. from the Zion Evangelical Missionary Church (North), Didsbury with Reverend Willard Swalm officiating. Interment followed in the Didsbury cemetery. Honorary pallbearers were Len Berscht, Joan Hunsperger, Ebba Weber, Elvern Swalm, Ward Eby and Glen Munro. Active pallbearers were Wayne Snyder, Robert Ruttan, Dwayne Archer, Don Weber, Don Archer and Leonard Neufeld. In lieu of flowers, if desired, memorials may be given to the Canadian Diabetes Association. Mountain View Funeral Chapels, Didsbury entrusted with arrangements. 33-1tc

## 840 - OBITUARIES

BIRD - Douglas Bird of Carstairs, Alberta passed away in Didsbury, November 20, 1995 on his 78th birthday. He was born in a farm house in the Westcott district on November 20, 1917. Doug received his education at the Garfield school and on November 22, 1938 he married Gwendolyn Fry. He farmed the Martin Colwell farm for two years before taking over the Garfield Post Office and store in 1940. In 1943 he signed up in the Canadian Active Army where he served until 1945. Doug did general trucking in the area for 12 years as well as farming. In 1954 Doug moved to his present location and continued in the dairy industry for over 40 years. He always took great pride in his work and was a helpful neighbor and friend to anyone requiring his services. Doug was predeceased by his wife Gwen on December 23, 1992; his brother John in 1970; his father Percy in 1969; his mother Lillian in 1965 and a twin sister at birth in 1917. He is survived by his son Don (Maxine) of Rocky Mountain House and daughters Marjorie (Don) McKinnon of Carstairs and Jeanette (Larry) Umbach of Carstairs, brother Lionel (Elma) of Carstairs, as well as eight grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. A Memorial Service was held on Thursday, November 23, 1995 at 2 p.m. from the Cremona Congregational Church with Reverend Frank Cummins officiating. Memorial tributes may be given to STARS Air Ambulance or the Cremona Congregational Church Memorial Fund. Mountain View Funeral Chapels, Didsbury, entrusted with arrangements. 33-1tc



STEVENS - James Richard (Jim) Stevens passed away suddenly at his home at Parsons, B.C. (south of Golden), November 21, 1995 at the age of 47. Jim is survived by his loving wife Pat, his mother Joan, two brothers Fred from Houston, Texas, Dan and Denise, children Jade, Lee, Calla of Didsbury, sister Betty (husband Dave Sulz and sons Jeffrey and Robin, son Brian and Michael of Warberg. He is also survived by his uncle and aunt Len and Joyce Berscht, Didsbury, aunt Louise Berscht of Calgary and a number of cousins. Services were held at the Baptist Church November 25th in Golden. 33-1tc

NEUFELD - Cornelius G. Neufeld of Didsbury, went to be with his Lord on November 16, 1995, in the Didsbury Long Term Care Centre at the age of 94 years. He was born June 2, 1901 on the family farm east of Didsbury. He was baptized on his confession of faith in the Lord Jesus Christ on June 22, 1919. On January 6, 1927 he married Agatha Hamm in Gouldtown, Saskatchewan. Together they farmed east of Didsbury. In 1932, he was elected as minister at the Berghal Mennonite Church. He served the church faithfully as a self-supporting minister for 35 years but remained active in church work as long as he was able. He retired from the Berghal church ministry in 1967. He was then called by the Canadian Mis-

## 840 - OBITUARIES

sion Board to pastor the Hillcrest Mennonite Church in Grande Prairie where he served for two years. He then returned to the farm home where he spent much of his leisure time making toys, until he moved into the nursing home in Didsbury in 1990. He was predeceased by his loving wife, Agatha on October 21, 1984, infant daughter, Joyce Patricia on December 2, 1949, infant great grandchildren, Randy Neil Goerzen on January 26, 1985 and Darby Lee O'Donnell on June 14, 1994. He will be lovingly remembered by his children: Elmer and Erna Neufeld of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Harvey and Sarah Neufeld of Didsbury, Alberta, Vernon and Anne Neufeld of Coaldale, Alberta, Lydia and Aaron Derksen of Didsbury, Alberta, Ruth and George Lowen of Lymburn, Alberta, fifteen grandchildren and 30 great grandchildren. His four sisters, Agatha Epp, Langham, Saskatchewan, Mae Klassen, Clearbrook, B.C., Agnes Neufeld, Rosthern, Sask., Susie Harder, Clearbrook, B.C. Funeral services were held Monday, November 20, 1995 at 11 a.m. from the Berghal Mennonite Church with Pastor Bruce Wiebe and Reverend Werner Froese officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery. Honorary pallbearers were Jim Hockley, Charles Morin, Jim O'Donnell, Paul Bartsch, Bill Klassen, Eric Goerzen and Gerald Schmidt. Active pallbearers were his grandsons, Ronald Neufeld, Dale Neufeld, Duane Derksen, Gary Derksen, Byron Lowen, Larry Lowen and Rodney Lowen. If desired, memorials may be given to the Mennonite Central Committee, Mountain View Funeral Chapels, Didsbury entrusted with the arrangements. 33-1tc

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# Sports and Entertainment

## CFR '95 crowns new event champions

Special to the Review

Pro rodeo has a new set of champions - new in every sense of the word! When the curtain came down on the 22nd annual Canadian Finals Rodeo (Nov. 8-12) at the Edmonton Coliseum, every champion emerging from the six rounds of sudden-death competition was a first-time winner.

And nobody enjoyed victory more than Denny Hay, the oldest of the bronc riding Hay boys from Mayerthorpe, AB. After seven years on the pro trail, he was finally the Canadian champion saddle bronc rider. And he let brother Roddy, who has four titles to his credit, know it in no uncertain terms.

When the rodeo community got together to honor its champions at the annual awards banquet following the final performance, Denny was at the head table and Roddy was at the back of the ballroom among the crowd of 500 looking up at him. "How's it feel back there Roddy?" shouted Denny over the microphone as he opened his acceptance speech. "It's too bad he's a loser this year, but he tried hard." The comments left the crowd rollicking in

laughter.

Joining the 28-year-old Hay at the table of champions were:

- Darren Shaw of Cardston, AB, the High Point Award winner and calf roping champion in just his third year as pro.

- Davey Shields of Hanna, AB, just two years out of high school at the age of 20 and already the bareback riding champion.

- Wes Cyr of Nanton, AB, the bull riding champion who actually missed qualifying for the Canadian Finals but drew in to complete as an injury replacement for Lowell Johnston of Oyen, AB.

- Todd Boggust of Paynton, SK, the steer wrestling champion, frustrated last year when two broken barriers -- one in Edmonton, the other in Las Vegas -- cost him both the Canadian Finals and world championships.

- Debbie Guelly of Hudson Hope, B.C., who nailed the barrel racing championship by the closest margins -- three 1/100ths of a second over Leslie Schlosser of Nanton, AB.

- Jason Finkbeiner, a 14-year-old kid from Wardlaw, AB, who's already started riding

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Saying hello. Award winning poet, Frank Pavlick, who calls himself Canada's Sports Poet, was in Didsbury during Midnight Madness last Friday to sign autographs and sell copies of his poetry book. Pavlick, published in the Didsbury Review for years, spent the evening at Didsbury Drugs. Gene Hartmann photo

## Grizzlys involved in tight race for first

by Robert Magee  
Review writer

On the night of November 22nd, the Olds Grizzlys and the Calgary Royals played what this sports writer would call "the best 40 minutes of hockey ever seen".

It was neck and neck all the way through periods one and two. The Grizzlys were out shooting Calgary 25-20, but thanks to the superb goaltending of both teams, the score remained at a 2-2 deadlock. The key to period #3 however, was defence. The Royals' "D" simply shut down Olds' high flying offence and scored the eventual winner with 5:43

left in the game.

Once again, the Olds Grizzlys refused to lose two games in a row the next night and with the help of Tomas Zelenka's three points and Dan Heilman's game winner, the Grizzlys improved their record to a 17-5-2 good enough for 36 points and 1st place in the AJHL standings. But they are not alone. Sitting one point behind them is the Calgary Canucks with 35 and just one point behind them are the St. Albert Saints with 34 points.

Checking out the upcoming games, on Wednesday, Nov. 29th, the top-two teams will meet in what should be a thriller at 7:30 p.m. in Olds. Then the Grizzlys will enter-

tain the Bonnyville Pontiacs on Friday night and then the lowly Bow Valley Eagles will pay a visit the following night. Grizzly fans should get set for some hard hitting exciting hockey all week long at the Olds Sportsplex.

A note for all AJHL fans, the 1995-96 Viking Cup selects are in. Eight members from the Olds Grizzlys were invited to the training camp which takes place for four consecutive Mondays at the Northlands Agricom in Edmonton. The players include: Stephan Wagner (G), Tyler Barabonoff (D), Jeramie Heistad (D), Luke Gergel (C), Jim Lawrence (C), Tomas Zelenka (RW), Paul Fioroni (LW) and Jon Pouzar (LW).

## Pool splashings

Special to the Review

The Didsbury Aquatic Centre will be closed for its annual maintenance shutdown from December 4 - 17 inclusive. During this shutdown, the staff are kept busy with touch-ups and maintenance of the facility and of facility equipment. During the maintenance shutdown in past years, projects accomplished included a portion of the deck being replaced to make it less slippery, the pool bottom was painted with colorful sea creatures, the pool emptied and the basin scrubbed, acoustic baffles were suspended to lower the noise level inside the building and touch-up painting was done. This year, the only big project that will be undertaken will be suspending the remainder of the baffles. These baffles will be suspended in the elevated ceiling where the slide will be housed, so we chose some big, adventurous firemen to give us a hand with this. They were the natural selection, of course, as they aren't worried about climbing such heights and they do have some interesting equipment that will certainly help them make the job easier than our 20 foot ladders would! Included in shutdown will also

be smaller jobs such as boiler repairs, filter maintenance, painting and other small touch-ups. The pool reopens a week before Christmas holidays begin for the schools and will remain open on a special holiday schedule from December 18-January 7. The pool will, of course, be closed on Christmas and New Year's Day.

If you have been planning a family get-together or a group activity for the holiday season, we'd like you to think about making swimming part of your fun. Special rental times can be booked during the holiday season and we do have great rates for big or small groups. Our rates include use of the main pool, hot tub, steam room and meeting room. We have a BBQ available for our user groups and we also have restaurants that will cater food in for you. Call us or drop in to discuss your group's needs and we will certainly do what we can to accommodate you all!

Be sure to pick up our special holiday schedule for your quick reference to swimming times. You can pick up the schedule at the pool and it can also be found in the new Community Services Brochure that was delivered to your house at the end of October.

## Alberta Junior Hockey League Standings 1995-96

Compiled November 26, 1995

	GP	W	L	SO/L	GF	GA	PTS	W	L
Olds Grizzlys	25	18	5	2	131	72	38	0	2
Calgary Canucks	25	18	6	1	103	86	37	3	1
St. Albert Saints	27	17	8	2	132	89	36	1	2
Fort McMurray Oil Barons	26	16	9	1	109	93	33	2	1
Fort Saskatchewan Traders	25	14	10	1	80	86	29	3	1
Sherwood Park Crusaders	26	12	11	3	100	109	27	3	3
Bonnyville Pontiacs	25	12	11	2	95	95	26	0	2
Calgary Royals	28	10	14	4	95	118	24	1	4
Bow Valley Eagles	27	8	19	0	105	121	16	1	0
Lloydminster Blazers	26	5	20	1	88	169	11	3	1

NOTE: One point awarded to the shoot-out loser. (SO/L)





# DIDSBURY MINOR HOCKEY

## Bantams play well

by Amy Jackson  
Special to the Review

In spite of a strong effort on Nov. 18 the Didsbury Bantams were unable to improve their standings as Okotoks took home a 5-3 victory. Brad Jackson, Jason Spreeman and Patrick Morgan succeeded in putting the puck past a tough Okotoks goaltender.

With Justin Pross in net the boys recorded their first shut-out of the season as they hosted Canmore on Nov. 19. Scoring Didsbury's 14 goals were Jason Spreeman (4), Brad Jackson (4), Jesse Hnidy (3), Jamie Campbell, Joe Thompson and Chris Israelson with one goal each. The game ended abruptly

with 5 minutes remaining in the third period as the Canmore team was escorted off the ice by the officials after receiving 48 minutes in penalties, a game misconduct and a bench minor.

The following weekend had the boys playing in Crossfield on Nov. 24 and Beiseker on Nov. 25. Having trounced Crossfield 11-3 on Friday, backed up by Al McKenzie in net, they travelled to Beiseker on Saturday to play their toughest game so far this season. After a see-saw battle they finally emerged with a 5-4 victory, a win which can be attributed to strong discipline on the part of the players by not responding to their opponents

aggressive tactics. The weekend scoring leader was Jason Spreeman with 7 goals and 1 assist, followed by Jesse Hnidy with 2 goals and 4 assists, Rob Collinge with 3 goals and 1

assist, Brad Jackson and Josh Taylor each with 1 goal and 1 assist, Brian Pieper with 2 goals and Joe Thompson, Ryan Konshuh, Matt Bogner and Patrick Morgan each with 1

assist. The Bantams now stand with 3 wins and 3 losses in league play. They are looking forward to hosting Beiseker on December 2.

## Tykes 3 in full swing

Special to the Review

Hockey season is in full swing now for Tykes #3. This year the roster is full of first year "Rookies" grinding and hustling hard after the puck for their team.

On Saturday, Nov. 25 Tykes #3 took on Bowden. The first period was a close played one with Didsbury getting goals from Jonathan Lefebvre and Matt Collinge. Bowden an-

swered with one. In the second Didsbury had super goaltending from Daniel Forestell keeping the score close and helping to let his team mate Mike Arnold add two goals to the scoreboard. Excellent grinding and working the puck by Tim Phillips, Travis Dietrich, Jesse Wygiera and Mitchell McKetiak. The third period saw Mike Arnold and Matt Collinge both com-

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## DMHA Schedule of Home Games

### Saturday, December 2, 1995

9:00 - 10:30	Tyke #1 vs Crossfield
10:45 - 12:15	Novice #2 vs Torrington
12:30 - 2:15	Atom C vs Olds #1
2:30 - 4:30	Bantam vs Beiseker
4:45 - 6:45	Pee Wee C vs Hanna

### Sunday, December 3, 1995

4:45 - 6:45	Midgets vs Hanna
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## MEET THE COACHES

### Novice 1



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# Cremona minor hockey and ringette news

by Ryan Robertson  
Special to the Review

Friday, November 17th saw our Midget team home to Crossfield. In a previous meeting the week before, the two had played hard with the locals capturing a 4-3 victory.

This one would follow a similar pattern. With Cremona trailing 2-1 after one, Crossfield struck twice in the second to gain a 3-1 lead. Cremona got one back and, after two, it was 3-2 Crossfield.

Cremona tied the game and went for more when, unfortunately, a pass out from the corner, deep in Cremona territory found two Crossfield men alone, and with 38 seconds left to play in the game, they solved goalie Brad Newsome for the winning tally. It was a well played game with a minimal amount of penalties. Steve

Smith started in goal and split duties with Brad Newsome. Both played well.

On Saturday, November 18th on the eve of Grey Cup 1995, the weather continued to be wonderful outside. Inside, however, the game was hockey and the day started with our Dynamite 2 team playing host to Didsbury. The game involved no scoring for seventeen minutes and period scores of 2-2, 3-3 and a hard fought 6-5 victory for Didsbury. The goaltending at both ends was super and it was simply a great game.

Next up, Novice 1 played host to Cochrane. Last Sunday the two played a great game with the locals winning 6-2.

As the game started, Cochrane went right to work and Cremona worked equally as hard with the end result a scoreless period.

In the second, things heated up as the teams traded goals throughout and at the end of period two, Cochrane led 3-2.

The final frame saw Cochrane gain control and win 9-3.

Good goaltending was prevalent throughout and some tough luck proved to be the difference.

Scoring for Cremona in the second were J.D. Watt with a pair, the first assisted by Blain Bolton and in the third Tanner Boothby on a great pass from the stick of Cody Rogers.

Finally on Saturday, our Pee Wees played a very good game, dropping an 8-4 decision to Sundre. Good effort was put forth by the whole team, which included passing well, some solid hits and good skating. Sundre led 2-1 after one and

3-2 after two. In the third, with the score 5-3 Sundre, a flurry by Cremona in front of the Sundre net in which no goal was scored could have been the turning point in the game.

Also from the Pee Wee camp comes news of a tournament slated between Christmas and New Year's - December 29th and 30th. Further details as they are available.

Grey Cup Sunday found our Atoms at home in an exhibition game against Cochrane. The game was designed to prove eligibility in re-alignment which occurred for most of our teams on Monday, November 20th. The game proved to be very interesting. Cochrane held period leads of 2-1, 4-2 and clung to a 5-4 victory.

Scoring for Cremona was Sean Erickson with a pair and

one assist, Marty Wig and Ryan Blackwell with one goal and two helpers each. It is to be noted that the whole team played well including Jesse Novak in goal who showed tremendous technique.

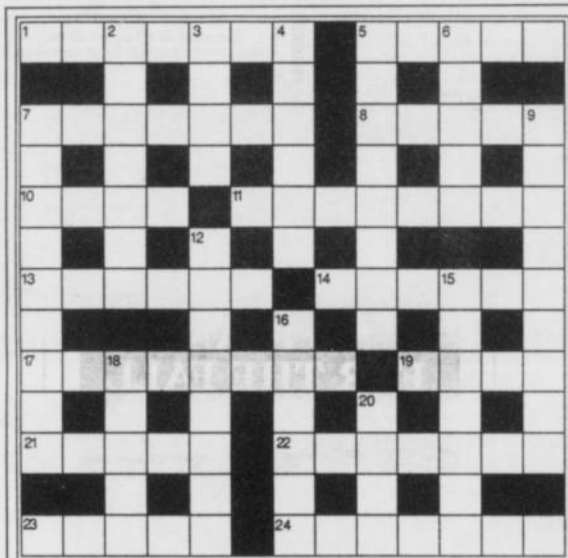
Finally this week, Ringette returned home with a match-up between our local Belles and Airdrie. In only their third start this season, the Belles played hard, but dropped an 8-6 decision. The effort and commitment put forth to ice a team this year is to be commended. It is great to see a spirit of that nature. Next action is slated for Thursday night, November 23rd.

## Tykes

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plete their hat tricks. Great job done defensively and offensively by Travis McTavish, Jamie Whalen and Levon Jensen.

The final score was Didsbury 8 - Bowden 4. Good luck boys in your next game Sunday in Sundre.



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5. Enviously
6. Forger
7. Capable
9. Controlled
12. Damaged
15. Endanger
16. Shriek
18. Eject
20. Practice boxing

## SOLUTIONS IN NEXT WEEK'S PAPER

LAST  
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SOLUTION



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bulls, collected the steer riding buckle.

• Jonathon Blackmore of Cardston, AB, just 19 years old, captured the novice bronc riding title in a tie-breaking rideoff against Ben Louis of Vernon, B.C.

• Jason Phipps, nephew to former Canadian bull riding champ Bob Phipps, took the novice bareback title back home to Marshall, SK.

The only previous champion at the head table was Duane Daines, who clinched his third all-round championship during the regular season. Crippled in a rodeo accident that paralyzed him from the waist down, the 37-year-old Innisfail, AB, bronc rider was also honored as the Cowboy of the Year. In a touching moment,

he was presented with a bronze trophy, a leather-bound bible and a \$2,000 grant.

"I feel like I'm still a cowboy," said Daines. "You put on your hat and you put on your boots every day and go. I used to do that awful quick a few weeks ago. It takes a little longer now but that's the way I wanted to be and I want to stay that way."

In all, the 72 contestants divided up a record \$392,280 in prize money during a five-day showdown that attracted 83,458 spectators. The crowd count was down just over 2,800 from the previous year -- due to the bitterly cold winter weather -- but a record one-night attendance of 16,501 was set during the fifth performance on Saturday evening (Nov. 11).

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Warrington.

Cows were donated by Ruby Coombes and Ramada Dairy Cattle Sales.

Hay was donated by Reg Admussen, Fred Bay, Joe and Dick Clark and Tony and Judy Vonesch.

Hogs were donated by Bob Baker, John Donegani, Sid and Laura Van Dijk and Innisfail Meat Packers.

Goats were donated by Anne Burchill.

Miscellaneous items and cash were donated by Doug Chant, Howard and Fern Dugan, Leonard Friesan, Dennis and Shirley Roemmele, HC and Dorothy Penner, Schmiemann Enterprises and

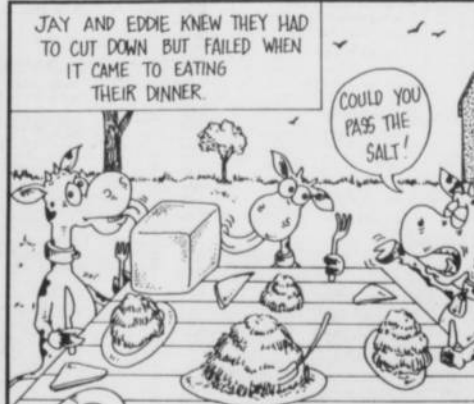
Howard Smith.

This event proved a tremendous success, not only in terms of financial gain but in the display of true character exhibited by all the people involved in this benefit.

Anyone else wishing to donate may do so through the Olds Auction Mart or by calling any of the following: Mary Wright (556-8774), Dixie or Don Hodgson (556-2556), Ben Venneman (556-7037) or Bill Venneman (556-8589).

The Richard Sietzema benefit fund was established in October, 1995 to aid the 27-year-old farmer who was paralyzed in a farming accident.

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# Christmas Carol a timeless fairy tale

Special to the Review

A Christmas Carol is the recounting of a journey which Ebenezer Scrooge takes in the darkness of his own soul. Guided by the Ghosts of Christmas Past, Present and Future, he revisits moments of his life then glimpses of its inevitable conclusion. But it is not inevitable! Scrooge is given the opportunity to change the ending. Not to rewrite the events which led him to become the tight-fisted miser he is, but to learn from those events and alter the conclusion. And Scrooge does learn. Waking up to a bright Christmas morning, the reformed miser sends the Cratchits a gigantic turkey for their Christmas dinner. But this is only the beginning for Scrooge for he has learned to live each day with generosity and joy.

A Christmas Carol has been called the one great myth in modern literature. The first of Charles Dickens' Christmas books, A Christmas Carol is built on, incorporates, draws from and combines fairy tale elements. A central character who displays false values is forced through a series of extraordinary events to see his errors. As in fairy tale stories, the moral is strongly reinforced at the conclusion. Scrooge represents every man who has hardened his heart, lost his ability to feel. We identify with Scrooge and feel relief at his conversion knowing that we can change our lives and

through our actions bring joy to those around us.

When Dickens published A Christmas Carol on December 19, 1843, he invented a new genre - the Christmas book. By remarkable coincidence Henry Cole, a fellow Londoner, was inventing the Christmas card at the same time. All of England was particularly open to the glorification of Christmas around this time. The Christmas tree, Christmas crackers and Father Christmas (Santa Claus) were among the traditions being established. Critics predicted that this story would be read and enjoyed "a hundred years hence." For many of us, A Christmas Carol remains to this day, one of the great traditions of Christmas.

Theatre Calgary is preparing to bring the classic tale, A Christmas Carol, to life on the Max Bell Stage December 1 to 24.

After seven consecutive years, this annual production is fast becoming a Christmas tradition for many Albertans.

"For example", said Box Office Manager, Astrid Young, "we have one family in particular whose children, after being away from home all year long, choose 'A Christmas Carol' as a way to celebrate the season together. It's now part of their holiday tradition."

This season's production will again star Stephen Hair as the miserly Ebenezer Scrooge. New to the production this year is Lonesome Dove's Hannah, Christianne Hirt as Belle. In

the role of Charles Dickens this year will be James Brewer, known for his past performances as the Ghost of Christmas Present, who will be played by Michael Hancock. James Kirchner is back as Jacob Marley along with Martin Evans as Bob Cratchit, Bruce Parkhouse as Mr. Brassington, Shauna Baird as the Ghosts of Christmas Past, Heather Lea MacCallum as Mrs. Fezziwig, Valerie Planché as Mrs. Ramsgate, Douglas McKeag as Fred, Roman Danylo as Ebenezer and Mark Bellamy as Dick Wilkins.

Returning to the production from the young cast are John Hawkes, Jacqueline Henderson, Melanie Merkosky, Jania Teare and Caden Douglas as the timeless Tiny Tim. This year will also introduce David Hansford.

The creative team includes Theatre Calgary's Executive Producer Brian Rintoul directing, Steven Hawkins setting the mood with lighting, Warren Carrie for sets, Pamela Lampkin for costumes and the adaptation for the stage by Martin Kinch.

Tickets to A Christmas Carol range from \$13 to \$45.91 and are available at all TicketMaster outlets. Evening performances are at 7 p.m. with 2 p.m. matinees. The du Maurier Arts Ltd. Pay-What-You-Can Matinee is Saturday, December 2 at 2 p.m. Due to Student Matinees, weekday performances are limited. Call 294-7441 for a detailed listing of show times and dates.

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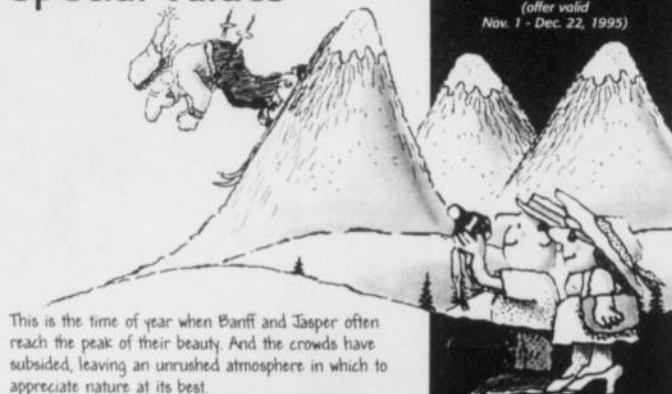
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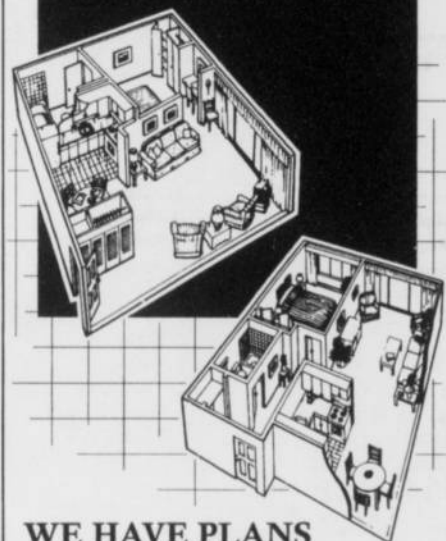
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### CARSTAIRS

#### RECYCLING DEPOT

Carstairs Lion's Recycling Depot is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. - 12:20 p.m. tfn

#### OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Overeaters Anonymous, Carstairs Catholic Parish, 302 - 11 Ave., Carstairs, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Further info. 337-3619 (Teri). 48

#### WINTER FARMERS MARKET

Every Friday starting Nov. 3 thru Dec. 15th, a farmers market will be held at the Scout Hall from 4 - 7 p.m. Sponsored by Carstairs Ag Society Winter Market. For tables call Karen 337-2111 or Wanda 335-9260. 29

### DIDSBURY

#### BRIDAL SHOWER

Bridal shower for Trish Murphy, Dec. 11, 7:30, St. Anthony's Church. Pot luck lunch. Everyone welcome. 30

#### AL-ANON

Al-Anon meetings for families of alcoholics held every Friday at 8:30 p.m. in Masonic Hall, corner of 21 St. & 21 Ave., Didsbury. More info. 335-3637. tfn

#### TOY LIBRARY

Kidding Around Parents Club Toy Library: Hours Tuesdays and Saturdays 10 - 11:30 a.m. at the Anglican Church Hall basement. Large selection of toys. More info. call Tracey at 335-8055. tfn

### DIDSBURY

#### MAINSTREET BRZ MEETING

The Mainstreet BRZ executive meets for luncheon meetings the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 12:00 noon at the Town Office. All interested Business Owners are invited to attend. Contact Claude Baril at 335-3066 for more information. tfn

#### HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Won't you join us at the Museum on the 1st Thursday of every month from 2 - 4 p.m. for coffee. Everyone is welcome, newcomers to town come and get acquainted. We have lots to see, take a look back in history. There is no charge but of course donations are always welcome. The museum is also open on Wed., Thurs. and Fri. from 2 - 5 p.m. weekly. We're located at 2118 - 21st Ave. For more info. call 335-9295. tfn

#### DIDSBURY TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Debbie at 335-9870 or Vivian at 335-3730. tfn

#### AA

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 20 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Harold at 335-3637 or Rick at 335-9525. tfn

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#### BEAVER'S

Beaver's Monday 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome. tfn

#### CASH BINGO

Didsbury Elks Cash Bingo every Tuesday. Doors open 6:00 p.m., Nickel Bingo at 6:45. Regular bingo at 7:30 p.m. Didsbury Elks Hall. tfn

### DIDSBURY

#### O.E.S. MEETING

St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its regular meetings at 8:00 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Marge Steckler at 335-4281. tfn

#### FARMER'S MARKET

Don't forget the Christmas Market is coming up Dec. 2/95. 22

#### CANSURMOUNT

You are not alone. Cansurmount & Reach to Recovery. Olds, Didsbury and surrounding communities have a local group of trained volunteers who offer support to families and patients who have cancer. Please call 335-3341 for more information. 45

#### BADMINTON

Badminton for anyone Tuesday, 6:30 - 9 p.m. at Ross Ford School. \$2 charge for rentals or \$20 for the season. 32

#### INFORMATION

Mountain View La Leche League, a group which offers information and support for breastfeeding mothers. We also meet the 2nd Thursday mornings of each month. Phone 335-8864 or 335-2331 for information and meeting location. tfn

#### POT LUCK

Five-0 Christmas pot luck Dec. 6th at 1 p.m. Meat supplied. Entertainment to follow. Craft items will be for sale. Cost \$3. 32

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### DIDSBURY

#### BAZAAR/BAKE SALE

The Didsbury Hospital Auxiliary will hold a bazaar, bake sale and tea Dec. 1/95 from 1 to 3:30 p.m. in the assembly room of the Long Term Care area. The nut man will be at the hospital foyer from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Dec. 1st also. 32

#### "SON'S" KIDS CLUB

(The Friday that school is out). For more information and registration forms call 335-3161, Redeemer Lutheran Church. Ages 3 to grade 8. tfn

#### TURKEY SUPPER

Dec. 2nd, Christmas turkey supper. Fundraiser sponsored by West Zion Youth Group from 5:30 - 7:30 at the church. Adults \$7, children 4-12 yrs. \$5. Babysitting provided for children 3 yrs. and younger. Meal will not be provided for that age group. 32

### DIDSBURY

#### TURKEY SUPPER

The Didsbury and District Historical Society will be holding their Annual Turkey Supper on Wed., Dec. 6, 1995 at the Elks Hall at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$10 (\$5 for children under 12) and are available from Historical Society Board members, the Museum or from Harry Penner, phone 335-3994. 31

#### CHRISTMAS TOUR & TEA

To visit 11 Heritage Homes in Didsbury be part of the Heritage Christmas Tour & Tea. For more info. call Linda 335-8341. 33

### OLDS

#### BAKE SALE & BAZAAR

The Olds General Hospital Long Term Care Annual Bake Sale and Bazaar, Dec. 5/95, 11:30 - 3:30 p.m. in the Long Term Care unit. All proceeds to the Residents Council Fund. 32

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### ROSEBUD

**CHRISTMAS PARTY & CONCERT**  
Annual Rosebud Community Christmas Party and Concert, Sunday, Dec. 10 at 1 p.m. at Hall. Pot luck lunch. Please bring a main dish and dessert or a main dish and salad. Santa. 33

#### COFFEE PARTY

Rosebud Ladies Coffee Party, Wednesday, Dec. 6 at 9:30 a.m. at Hall. Pot luck Christmas baking. 33

### SUNDRE

#### AA

Alcoholics Anonymous Wednesdays, 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the basement of the Anglican Church. Ron 638-2736. tfn

#### ALA TEEN

Ala Teen, Sundre United Church Basement, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. More info 638-3277. tfn

#### AL-ANON

Al-Anon, Sundre United Church basement. Wednesday 8 p.m. More info 638-3277. tfn

### WESTERDALE

#### CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Westerdale Community is having their pot luck Christmas Party at 12:30, Dec. 10/95. Please bring meat dish, salad or dessert. Non perishable food item for the food bank if you wish. Everyone welcome. 33

### ZELLA

#### CARD PARTY

Whist Card Party every first and third Monday of each month starting Nov. 6, at 7:30. Pot luck lunch. For information phone 335-4040. 30

#### CHRISTMAS MARKET

Harmattan Christmas Market (fundraiser for Zella W.I. Girls Club) Dec. 2, 10 - 3. Hot lunch. Table rentals, 556-1320. 33

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#### KING HIRAM LODGE MEETING

King Hiram Lodge #21 has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Hans Lucas at 337-2250. tfn

**Fallen Timber Community Association**

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